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Dress Trimming Department.

There are so many different styles of Trimming that are just the thing this season that very few houses are able to show them all. We are showing all the latest Novelties in Dress Trimmings.

WOOL YAK LACES

In all the New Shades and Colors at 25c., 35c., 50c. a yard.

Silk and Wool Yak Laces in

Combination colorings these are entirely new and a choice novelty.

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Beaded and steel cut Dress Fronts and Laces to match.

Our Lines Hercules Braids.

We have them from 1-8 to 6 inches wide in all colors, also a line of

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Sever before have we shown such a large line of novelties in Buttons, we are showing them in all sizes in fancy cut steel, and Silk covered for Tailor made suits.

We Have Just Received

New stock of Ladies' and Childrens

Handkerchiefs.

Childrens colored bordered Handkerchiefs, 5, 10 and 12 1-2c. each. Ladies' pure linen colored bordered Handkerchiefs 12 1-2, 15, 20 and 25 cents each. Ladies' pure linen colored Emb. Handkerchiefs, 25, 35 and 50 cents each.

A choice lot of French novelties in white and colored Emb. Cambric linen Handkerchiefs at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

We have so many different styles that you need not buy two Handkerchiefs alike and buy enough to last you a year.

Our Steam Passenger Elevator is now Running.

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We Offer at Bottom Figures

The only complete stock of mill supplies in Waco, consisting in part of

Rubber Belting, Leather Belting, Leather, Boiler Pipe, Wrenches, Pipe, Bolts and Rivets, Iron Tongs, Sheet Copper, Hemp Packing, Asbestos Packing, Babbitt Metal, Fittings, Pipe and Fittings, Brass Sheet Lead and Tube Cleaners.

Shafting, Pulleys, Boxes and Couplings.

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WACO DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

WACO, TEXAS, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1885.

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MILL AND GIN SUPPLIES,
LARGE LIQUID OILS,
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It Takes the Lead. Our Stock of Dress Goods is Entirely New.

We had but few Dress Goods left over from last season, and those are put on our counters in job lots to sell out at any price. Our new Dress Goods Department comes to the front, and bids fair to eclipse anything in that line in the city. We show some very desirable lines in Wove plaids, Cashmere Plaids, Homespun Stripes, the newest novelty out. Embroidered Patterns, an especially new thing in Dress Goods. Will sell the following Goods at the very LOW FIGURES:

Colored Cashmere, all shades, 36 inches wide.....	25 Cents	Black Cashmere, 36 inches wide.....	40 Cents
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ROTTEN IRON,

Causes a Terrible Explosion
At Pittsburg, Pa., by
Which

Seventeen Persons are Scalded
And Mangled, of Whom
Two Have Died;

Five More Will Die, But the
Others Will Probably
Recover.

St. Louis Street Car Employees
Have Stated Their
Grievances.

TERRIBLE BOILER EXPLOSION.

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PITTSBURGH, Pa., October 2.—Shortly after 3 o'clock this morning the battery boiler at the Solar Iron works, of Clark & Co., on Thirty-Sixth street, exploded with a disastrous effect. The night men had just been relieved when a loud explosion started the men and a portion of the works fell amid a cloud of death-dealing steam. Through the dense mist came shrieks and groans, which notified employees beyond harm's reach that a frightful calamity had overtaken a portion of their fellow workmen. As soon as the steam settled down a rush was made for the spot where the explosion occurred, when it was ascertained that the mud drum of the boiler had exploded and the steam had scalded seventeen men. Closer investigation showed that of the number fourteen were badly burned and three fatally scalded. The names of the injured were: Frank Marlin, badly scalded about the face and arms; will not live; James Cotton, fatally scalded, and the top of his head almost severed by a piece of flying iron; Frank Murray, a boy, scalded and injured by the flying debris; David Smith, shoemaker, badly scalded; Joseph Getz, a boy, scalded but not seriously; William Simpson, a boy, scalded and injured by the debris; Charles H. Rywood, a peddler, seriously injured by the flying debris; Joseph Sterner, badly bruised and slightly cut; Joseph Neff, a boy, badly scalded; Frank Neff, a boy, badly scalded; Barthel Anderson, a gauger, terribly burned, his injuries are probably fatal.

Scarcely had the bills ceased to reverberate the tones of the explosion, when the frightened and frightened wives, mothers and children began to rush on the scene and peer anxiously into the faces of the gasping and dying men, seeking to identify their loved ones or inquiring in agonizing tones if they had escaped. The injured were found lying in all positions, some so far away from the battery that it seemed impossible that they could have been injured by the explosion. The large number of boys hurt is accounted for by the fact that they were employed to handle hoop-iron, which was rolled in the mill nearest the boiler.

It was fully twenty minutes after the explosion before the boy, Frank Murray, was taken out from under the truck where he was lying. In addition to being scalded he was terribly crushed by the weight of iron piled on top of him. James Cotton and Frank Murray suffered the most from the scalding steam, but no hopes are entertained of the recovery of either of the three named. The others are expected to recover. Those most seriously hurt were taken to the West Pennsylvania hospital, while the others were removed to their homes.

Machines were upset, rolls rolled all over the floor, the iron machines were all thrown together in masses of debris, under which several of the men were buried.

Mr. Powers, chief engineer of the mill, says the boiler was inspected by the Hartford Boiler Insurance company two months ago and then pronounced safe. He was certain they were all right when he left last evening, and could only account for the explosion on the ground that the iron in the mud drum was too weak to stand the pressure to which it was subjected. Twice before having been in this mill.

Two of the victims, Thomas Cotton and John Murray, died at the West Pennsylvania hospital this morning. Three or four others are not expected to recover. The explosion was caused by the mud eating through the coating of the mud-drum. Pieces of the drum have been picked up that were not more than a thirty-second part of an inch in thickness.

No more deaths have resulted from the boiler explosion. Five of the victims, however, are pronounced fatally injured by attending physicians and their deaths are momentarily expected. Their names are Charles Rywood, Joseph Getz, Patrick Henderson, Thomas Stein and William Dan-ly. The others are resting easy and will no doubt recover. The coroner is making his investigation till to-morrow.

THE TURK.

Phyllis Bitten by Harry Wilkes.

CLEVELAND, October 2.—Harry Wilkes defeated Phyllis three straight heats on the Glenview track to-day, winning the \$500 purse and 90 per cent of the gate receipts. The result was a genuine surprise to every one, and local sporting men dropped a goodly amount of cash on the result. The day was cold and stormy and hundreds of people who had intended to see the race gave up the notion and stayed at home. After four heats, in two of which Phyllis broke for the first time, the horses went away for their first trail. Pools were selling: Harry Wilkes, \$50; Phyllis, \$40. When the horses went away they were neck-and-neck, Wilkes having the pole; before the first furlong had been trotted, Bithers tried to pass Wilkes; the increased pace was, however, too fast for Phyllis, and he went up into the air, he caught his feet quickly but had lost a length and a half; Wilkes was not disturbed by the affair and was trotting easily, reaching the quarter pole in thirty-six seconds; Phyllis drew up a trifle and came within a length of Wilkes and then fell back again; Wilkes stepped a little faster, however, and the next quarter was made in thirty-four seconds; down the farther side of the track Phyllis trotted well, but the third quarter was only trotted in thirty-two seconds; here he made a mistake and failed to recover himself, he rushed upon Wilkes and threatened to overhaul him; when the two turned their faces homeward they were going like the wind; Phyllis trotted easily, but Wilkes led at the three-quarter pole was too great; the last quarter was trotted in thirty-two and one-half seconds and was as pretty an exhibition of speed as has been seen on the track for many a day. Wilkes won by an open length. The two other heats were also won by Wilkes.

Morishin Wins His Money.

New York, October 2.—Alexander Greene, as counsel for Giovanni P. Morishin, to-day obtained from Judge Donohue, in the supreme court, an attachment against the property of William Heath & Co. Mr. Morishin says in the affidavit, upon which the attachment was granted, that for several years past he has had \$480,000 in cash on deposit with Heath & Co. subject to his draft and that the only debit that could properly be made against the account was for the 2,380 shares of the capital stock of the Manhattan Railway company of the value of \$192,000 and twenty-five second mortgage bonds of the Metropolitan Elevated Railway company, the value of which was \$100,000. He declared he called at the office of Heath & Co. yesterday, for his money and he also stated that the money had been ordered to be paid to him, but that the company could not deliver the money, which was being held by the company, and that the money had been otherwise disposed of. He avers that he never authorized Heath & Co. to make use of his money and securities, and charges that they have assigned and disposed of their property with intent to defraud him and their creditors generally. Charles Quincy, one of the members of the street car union, has been in Europe for several months past. He believes he is not a resident of this state but of some country in Europe upon property and has also stated that the property may have in this state.

St. Louis Street Car Employees.

St. Louis, October 2.—The dispute which existed among the street car conductors and drivers in this city for some days past, and which has threatened to culminate in a strike, today was still continuing, but the prospect now is that the men will use all persuasive means to effect their ends before resorting to a strike. They have formulated a bill of grievances demanding shorter hours and uniform pay, which has been placed in the hands of an executive board of the Knights of Labor, and the latter will present it to the officers of the street car company as soon as possible and attempt to settle the difficulty by arbitration; nearly, if not quite all, the street car men in the city have joined the Knights of Labor, and the latter will have control of their affairs. Should arbitration fail, a strike will most likely be ordered, but it is now probable such action will not be taken until after the fair closes.

Joint Debates in Ohio.

COLUMBUS, October 2.—Correspondence between the republican and democratic state committees to-night, resulted in the acceptance by Judge Foraker of Governor Rood's challenge to a joint debate. Two meetings will be held, the first at Toledo, October 8, and the second at Cincinnati, October 10. The discussion is limited to three hours, of which the opening speaker occupies one hour, his opponent being allowed one hour and a half hours to reply, and the first speaker thirty minutes in which to close.

Found Dead in a Creek.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., October 2.—To-day the dead body of William Laid, suspected of murdering Deputy Sheriff George Johnson, in Crawford county, last week, was found in a creek near the residence of the murdered man's brother. His hat and shoes had been sunk in the creek, his throat cut and one eye gouged out.

The Week's Failures.

New York, October 2.—Business failures throughout the country for the last seven days number: For the United States, 71; Canada, 25; Total, 196, compared with 185 last week and 178 the week previous. The western and Pacific states furnish one-half of the total failures.

THE OLD WORLD.

Roumelia Still Keeping Europe
Worried Over Her Plan
Of Action.

Turkey is Obeying the Requests
Of the Iron Chancellor,
Or Seems To Be.

Servia Evidently Going to Annex
Some Contiguous Ter-
ritory.

Mr. Chamberlain wishes to do
Away with the House of
Lords.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Roumelian Affair.

LONDON, October 2.—A dispatch from Belgrade says: "It is understood in diplomatic circles here that Austria is secretly supporting Servia. According to advices from Philippopolis, the report that Russia wishes to do so, is not true. Alexander, has greatly angered the Roumelians. The prince, it is said, was never so popular as he is now."

Dispatches received in Vienna say that everything is ready for the entry of the King of Servia into Old Servia on the 8th inst.

The "Rich Man" Getting Ready.

CONSTANTINOPLE, October 2.—Great activity prevailed to-day in all the various bureaus of the war office. Troops are rapidly arriving here and are being sent to the coast at Gallipoli, Tripoli, Salonica and Dedaghe. Marshal Foud Pasha has started for Adrianople.

Will Annex Contiguous Territory.

NISSE, October 2.—A meeting of the Skupstina yesterday resulted in Servia demanding an extension of territory. The populace are clamoring for the annexation of Macedonia. It is probable, owing to the large army which Servia has in the field, that she will speedily seize all contiguous territory, thus making more difficult the solution of the Balkan question.

Want Russian Recognition.

COPENHAGEN, October 2.—M. De Giers, Russian foreign minister, in a public statement, declared that he would speedily seize all contiguous territory, thus making more difficult the solution of the Balkan question.

Will do as Bismarck Says.

CONSTANTINOPLE, October 2.—The sultan is receiving counsel from Prince Bismarck, residing in the Roumelian question, and it is probable he will adopt a policy in harmony with the German chancellor's.

Wants to be Neutral.

BUCHAREST, October 2.—The King of Roumelia has declared that he has not formed an alliance with either Greece or Servia, and that Roumelia is in a neutral position in the event of the Roumelian question resulting in war.

Relating Courtesy to Servia.

NISSE, October 2.—The Skupstina has held several secret sittings. The government opposes the project of the deputies to proclaim King Milan as a neutral power in the event of the Roumelian question resulting in war.

Italy's Cholera Report.

ROME, October 2.—There were 128 new cases of cholera and 80 deaths from the disease reported yesterday throughout Italy. The disease has spread to Genoa, where two cases and one death have been reported.

ENGLISH NEWS.

Mr. Chamberlain's Ideas.

LONDON, October 2.—Mr. Chamberlain addressed a liberal meeting at Bradford last evening. In the course of his speech he dwelt, at considerable length, on the attitude of the house of lords in obstructing legislation and refusing to give their assent to measures passed in the house of commons. Upon the general principles of the necessity of getting away with this obstruction Chamberlain declared, the liberals of all shades of opinion were united; when, however, it was proposed to name a definite time for effecting this reform, or when the question of the expediency of permitting the popular chamber of parliament to take the peers in hand was mooted, then the liberals were at once split up in numerous and conflicting camps. Some were in favor of the most radical measures; others were content to await for the slow progress of events to furnish a solution to the problem. Further resistance on the part of the lords to the will of the people, as expressed by the house of commons, could not be tolerated. Such a course, Chamberlain believed, would result in the speaker of the house of commons being made virtual dictator, clothed with powers ample enough to enable him to deal effectively with all cases of obstruction.

Investigating Irish Troubles.

DUBLIN, October 2.—Lord Randolph Churchill is at Dublin to-day for the purpose of investigating the condition of Ireland and the wants of its people. He will lay the results of his investigations before the cabinet and will, it is expected, propose some measures of relief more in accordance with the wishes of the people than have heretofore been adopted.

Giving the Reasons.

LONDON, October 2.—The war office to-day issued a report on the fall of Khartoum, attributing the disaster to the starved condition of the troops and the desertion of their posts by the native contingent. The Arabs, the report says, entered the city by the Bani gate, which was not defended. It acquires features of treachery. Farabee was charged with having allowed the mahdi's troops to enter the city, and with having withdrawn the force which he had control from the point of attack.

Sir Charles Dilke Married.

LONDON, October 2.—The marriage of Sir Charles Dilke and Mrs. Dilke took place at 10 o'clock to-morrow evening at Chelsea. Colonel Armstrong, a broker, will give the bride away. Mr. Chamberlain will act as groomsmen. Immediately after the ceremony the bride party will go to the Oatlands Park to spend the honeymoon.

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Fourth-Class Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, October 2.—The postmaster-general has appointed fourth-class postmasters in the following states and territories: Four in Pennsylvania, nine in West Virginia, eighteen in Ohio, three in Kentucky, twelve in Indiana, one each in Iowa, Missouri, Montana and Nebraska; two in Louisiana, two in Kansas, and four in Texas as follows: At Fleming, W. N. Bingham; Niles, F. M. Stevens; Mount Carmel, D. M. Blackburn; Ingersoll, F. A. Atwood.

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